

Professional Licensure: Continuing Education (2024)



Policy Statement

The American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) believes continuing education of licensed landscape architects is critical to ensuring ethical practice and the protection of the public's health, safety, and welfare.

ASLA supports establishment of consistent continuing education requirements in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. territories, including:

- uniform hours of continuing education units/professional development hours¹ based on the Council of Landscape Architectural Boards (CLARB) Model Law
- uniform renewal periods and documentation requirements
- recognition of the Landscape Architectural Continuing Education System (LA CES)

Note

This policy is one of an integrated group of policies on licensing issues.

¹ The terminology for these hourly professional education units varies by state, often known as Continuing Education Units (CEU) or Professional Development Hours (PDH).